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RESPONSE TO FINAL

Sir:

This is in response to the United States Patent and Trademark Final Office Action mailed November 25, 2005, which response is being made on Monday, March 27, 2006 (March 25, 2006 being a Saturday) and for which a one month extension fee is due and enclosed herewith. Applicant submits this response for entry into the record, in which:

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 17.

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: